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TAGS: EAIR, CA, FR, IT, JA, UK  
SUBJECT: FRG INVITATION TO AUGUST 1-2 MEETING ON ANTI-  
HIJACKING DECLARATION

REF: STATE 185585; BONN 13407 STATE 186923

1. EMBASSY PROPOSES TO DELIVER THE FOLLOWING DIPLO-  
MATIC NOTE TO THE FRG IN ANSWER TO ITS AIDE MEMOIRE:  
QUOTE: THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT PRESENTS ITS  
COMPLIMENTS TO THE GOVERNMENT OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC  
AND REFERS TO THE AIDE MEMOIRE CONCERNING THE BONN  
SUMMIT DECLARATION ON AIR HIJACKING GIVEN TO THE  
AMERICAN CHARGE ON JULY 21, 1978.

THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT STRONGLY ENDORSES THE  
PROPOSED COURSE OF ACTION SET FORTH BY THE FEDERAL  
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REPUBLIC IN ITS AIDE MEMOIRE. IN ADDITION, THE UNITED  
STATES GOVERNMENT PROPOSES TO SUPPLEMENT THE DIPLOMATIC  
EFFORTS OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC WITH DEMARCHES OF ITS  
OWN IN CAPITALS WHERE THE UNITED STATES IS REPRESENTED.  
THESE DEMARCHES WILL BE COORDINATED WITH THE EMBASSY OF  
THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC IN THE COUNTRIES CONCERNED.

THE UNITED STATES BELIEVES THAT A COORDINATED EFFORT BY ALL SUMMIT PARTICIPANTS BILATERALLY AND MULTILATERALLY TO OBTAIN OFFICIAL STATEMENTS OF SUPPORT OF THE BONN DECLARATION BY OTHER GOVERNMENTS IS OF GREAT IMPORTANCE. ACCORDINGLY, THE UNITED STATES WOULD BE PLEASED IF IT COULD BE INFORMED AS TO HOW THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC PLANS TO INVOLVE OTHER SUMMIT PARTICIPANTS IN THIS DIPLOMATIC EFFORT.

THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT WILL BE PLEASED TO ATTEND THE AUGUST 1-2, 1978 MEETING IN BONN AND WILL FORWARD THE NAMES OF ITS DELEGATION AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

IN ADDITION, THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT WILL BE PLEASED TO REPRESENT THE OTHER BONN SUMMIT PARTICIPANTS IN PRESENTING THE DECLARATION TO THE REPUBLIC OF CHINA.

THE EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AVAILS ITSELF OF THIS OPPORTUNITY TO ASSURE THE GOVERNMENT OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF ITS HIGHEST CONSIDERATION. UNQUOTE.

2. FRG HAS ACCEDED TO US DESIRES TO HAVE CONCOMITANT POLITICAL AND LEGAL DISCUSSIONS CONCERNING THE BONN SUMMIT DECLARATION (EMBOFF WAS TOLD BY UK LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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EMBASSY OFFICER THAT BRITISH HAD ALSO PUSHED FOR POLITICAL DISCUSSIONS). GERMAN PLAN IS NOW TO HAVE FRG FOREIGN MINISTRY OPEN MEETING ON AUGUST 1. IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE OPENING, THE PARTICIPANTS WILL DIVIDE INTO LEGAL AND POLITICAL SUB-GROUPS TO DISCUSS THE DECLARATION WITHIN THEIR RESPECTIVE FIELDS.

3. HOTEL RESERVATIONS HAVE BEEN MADE FOR EIGHT US PARTICIPANTS. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE NAMES AND TITLES OF US PARTICIPANTS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AND IF FEASIBLE IN WHICH SUB-GROUP THE INDIVIDUAL US MEMBERS WILL PARTICIPATE.

4. ROBERT P. GALLAGHER, USCAA, IS AN EMBASSY REPRESENTATIVE TO THE AUGUST 1-2 MEETING AND THE CONTROL OFFICER FOR THE US DELEGATION. (OFFICE PHONE: 89-3190.)

5. ACTION REQUESTED: DEPARTMENT APPROVAL OF DIPLOMATIC NOTE.  
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